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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.132 and M.P.E.P. §§ 715.01(c) and 716.10, the undersigned, Ashok V. Joshi, declares and states:

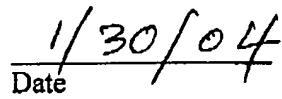
1. I, Ashok V. Joshi, am an inventor of the invention described in one or more of the claims of the U.S. patent application serial no. 10/003,853.

2. I am an inventor of the subject matter disclosed in U.S. Patent 6,591,133 B1 entitled: Apparatus and Methods for Fluid Delivery Using Electroactive Needles and Implantable Electrochemical Delivery Devices.

3. I hereby declare that all statements are made of my own knowledge, are true and that all statements are made on information and belief are believed to be true, and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both under §1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued therefrom.



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